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APPLICANT : MARINO XANTHOS *ET AL.*  
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This petition is being filed to restart the period of response to the PTO action indicated to have been mailed on June 4, 2002. A copy of the first page of the PTO action showing the mailing date is attached.

A substantive portion of the response period set in the Action had elapsed on the date of receipt.

Enclosed herewith is evidence showing the date of receipt of the PTO Action at the correspondence address on July 18, 2002; and a statement setting forth the date of receipt of the

PTO Action at the correspondence address and explaining how the evidence being presented establishes the date of receipt of the PTO Action at the correspondence address.

A check in the amount of \$130.00 is enclosed to cover the petition fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(h) herein requested. Applicants also request that the petition fee paid herewith be refunded, inasmuch as the delay in receipt of the action by applicants occurred through no fault of the applicants. Moreover, the assessment of the petition fee works an injustice upon the applicants that is tantamount to the result of late receipt of the action in the first place, as applicants are put to the expenditure of fee payments that could have been avoided had the action been received in a timely fashion. For this reason, refund of the petition fee is believed to be appropriate in this instance and is hereby requested. Accordingly, the Commissioner is further authorized to charge any deficiencies or to credit any overages to Deposit Account No. 11-1153.

Respectfully submitted,

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I, James E. Pittman, hereby state that the Action mailed by the PTO on June 4, 2002, as shown on the first page thereof which accompanies this petition was received on July 18, 2002.

The evidence showing the date of receipt of the PTO action at the correspondence address of the application is a copy of the first page of the PTO Action showing the date of receipt entered thereon.

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